Main Street Advisory Board
Meeting Minutes
September 8, 2026

A regular meeting of the Main Street Board was held on Monday, September 8, 2026, beginning at 4:10 p.m. at Brenham City Hall, 200 W. Vulcan Street, Brenham, Texas.

Members present:

Roger Ross (Vice Chair), Lowell Ogle, Tiffany Howard, Connie Wilder, Dax Flisowski,

Members absent:
Andi Liner (Chair), Amber Briggs, Whitney Ray, Wendy Meaux

City Staff present:

Main Street Manager, Leigh Linden
Administrative Assistant, Christine Simich

Others present:

Adrienne Schwartz

1. **Call Meeting to Order**
   Co-Chair, Roger Ross called the meeting to order at 4:10 pm.

2. **Citizen/Visitor Comments**
   No comments.

3. **Reports from Main Street Committee Chairs:**
   - Design Chair – Dax Flisowski reported the committee discussed Texas Downtown Presidents Awards list of submissions; the partnership with the Texas Arts & Music Festival on the proposed mural project at Austin and Alamo St.; TxDOT's upcoming Austin Street turnaround removal project.
   - Economic Vitality Chair – Lowell Ogle, reported on Block Captain that Roger Ross and Connie Wilder visited new businesses downtown. The event sponsorship program packet was introduced and reviewed for future distribution local businesses.
   - Organization – In absence of Chair Whitney Ray, Leigh Linden reported that the "Heart of Main Street" video series project was discussed; the Scarecrow Extravaganza registration is open; an update on the lighted Christmas Parade theme, "An American Christmas" will take place on December 5th.

4. Promotions – In absence of Chair Andi Liner, Leigh Linden reported that the "Holiday Sparkle Grant", a Christmas reimbursement program providing up to $100 per merchant for storefront lights and garland, was approved by all Main Street committees.

5. **Discuss and Possibly Act Upon the Board Minutes from the August 3, 2026, Regular Meeting.**

Dax Flisowski made a motion to approve the minutes from August 3, 2026. The motion was seconded by Lowell Ogle and carried unanimously among members present.

Chair Andi Liner	**Absent**
Vice Chair Roger Ross	**Yes**
Amber Briggs	**Absent**
Connie Wilder	**Yes**
Dax Flisowski	**Yes**
Lowell Ogle	**Yes**
Wendy Meaux	**Absent**
Whitney Ray	**Absent**
Tiffany Howard	**Yes**

6. **Discuss and Possibly Act Upon the Approval of Minutes from April 29, 2026, Training Session Special Meeting .**
   Dax Flisowski moved to approve the minutes of the April 29, 2026 board training session. The motion was seconded by Connie Wilder and carried unanimously among members present.

Chair Andi Liner	**Absent**
Vice Chair Roger Ross	**Yes**
Amber Briggs	**Absent**
Connie Wilder	**Yes**
Dax Flisowski	**Yes**
Lowell Ogle	**Yes**
Wendy Meaux	**Absent**
Whitney Ray	**Absent**
Tiffany Howard	**Yes**

7. **Administrative/Elected Officials Report**
   Leigh Linden, the Main Street Manager, reported The Christmas festivities were discussed, and it was decided that the Christmas tree lighting ceremony and carriage rides will be put on hold and will recommence when the courthouse renovations are complete. Cold Nights Holiday Tunes will return for the 3rd year on Friday, December 11th, with The Spicolis. The "Home for the Holidays" Christmas Stroll will take place on December 12th and a full day of activities is scheduled.

The meeting adjourned at 4:45 pm.

Next Board Meeting – October 5, 2026.

Roger Ross

Co-Chair

ATTEST:

Leigh Linden

Main Street Manager